

L. Reginald Brothers, Jr., of Massachusetts, to be Under Secretary for Science and Technology, Department of Homeland Security. **Pages S2178–79, S2202**

Mark Bradley Childress, of Virginia, to be Ambassador to the United Republic of Tanzania.

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**Nominations Received:** Senate received the following nominations:

Steven H. Cohen, of Illinois, to be a Member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S Truman Scholarship Foundation for a term expiring December 10, 2019.

Gordon O. Tanner, of Alabama, to be General Counsel of the Department of the Air Force.

Jane Toshiko Nishida, of Maryland, to be an Assistant Administrator of the Environmental Protection Agency.

Thomas P. Kelly III, of California, to be Ambassador to the Republic of Djibouti.

Sunil Sabharwal, of California, to be United States Alternate Executive Director of the International Monetary Fund for a term of two years. **Page S2202**

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**Record Votes:** One record vote was taken today. (Total—101) **Page S2176**

**Adjournment:** Senate convened at 2 p.m. and adjourned at 7:57 p.m., until 10 a.m. on Tuesday, April 8, 2014. (For Senate's program, see the remarks of the Acting Majority Leader in today's Record on page S2202.)

## Committee Meetings

*(Committees not listed did not meet)*

No committee meetings were held.

# House of Representatives

## Chamber Action

**Public Bills and Resolutions Introduced:** 8 public bills, H.R. 4411–4418; and 1 resolution, H. Res. 545 were introduced. **Pages H2990–91**

**Additional Cosponsors:** **Page H2991**

**Reports Filed:** Reports were filed today as follows:

H.R. 4323, to reauthorize programs authorized under the Debbie Smith Act of 2004, and for other purposes (H. Rept. 113–404) and

H. Res. 544, providing for consideration of the concurrent resolution (H. Con. Res. 96) establishing the budget for the United States Government for fiscal year 2015 and setting forth appropriate budgetary levels for fiscal years 2016 through 2024, and providing for proceedings during the period from April 11, 2014, through April 25, 2014 (H. Rept. 113–405). **Page H2990**

**Speaker:** Read a letter from the Speaker wherein he appointed Representative Wolf to act as Speaker pro tempore for today. **Page H2963**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 12:09 p.m. and reconvened at 2 p.m. **Page H2964**

**Recess:** The House recessed at 2:10 p.m. and reconvened at 4:02 p.m. **Page H2965**

**Budget and Accounting Transparency Act of 2014:** The House passed H.R. 1872, to amend the Balanced Budget and Emergency Deficit Control Act of 1985 to increase transparency in Federal budgeting, by a recorded vote of 230 ayes to 165 noes, Roll No. 166. **Pages H2965–73, H2983–86**

Rejected the DeLauro motion to recommit the bill to the Committee on the Budget with instructions to report the same back to the House forthwith with an amendment, by a yea-and-nay vote of 179 yeas to 217 nays, Roll No. 165. **Page H2985**

Pursuant to the rule, the amendment in the nature of a substitute recommended by the Committee on the Budget now printed in the bill shall be considered as adopted. **Page H2965**

H. Res. 539, the rule providing for consideration of the bills (H.R. 1874), (H.R. 1871), and (H.R. 1872), was agreed to on Friday, April 4th.

**Suspensions:** The House agreed to suspend the rules and pass the following measures: